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The New York Stock Exchange certifies approval for listing and registration under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Riverwood Holding, Inc., Series A Junior Participating Preferred Stock Purchase Rights, associated with the Common Stock, \$0.01 par value per share and requests immediate acceleration of registration. Adequate distribution assured. Form 8-A received on July 17, 2003.

Sincerely,

Dear Mr. Johnson: